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	First Inventor or Application Identifier	Sugiyama et al.
	Title	Antistatic Structure of Fuel Pipe
	Express Mail Label No.	ET831915368US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.	ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, DC 20231
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Foreign Priority Benefit: **First Foreign Application**

Application Number: 2001-050787
Filing Date: 26 February 2001
Country: Japan
Priority Claimed: YES

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Formal Drawings - 4 sheets
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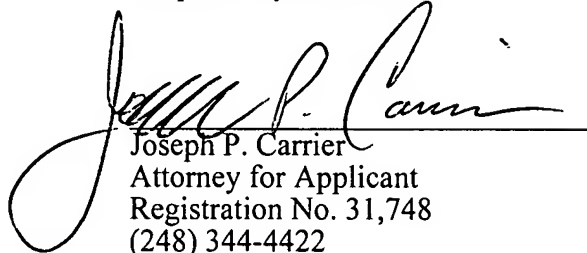
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